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M. DOUMERGUE.

## PRESIDENT MARRIES AT 68.

## M. DOUMERGUE'S ROMANCE.

Paris, June 1. President Doumergue, who has been President of France since May, 1924, has made his first venture into matrimony at the age of 68, on the eve of his retirement from the Elysee.

He was married quietly today at the Elysee Palace to Madame J. Graves, who has been a friend of his for many years.

In an active political life extending over a period of nearly forty years, he has frequently said that he has had no time to consider matrimony, and in fact has never taken any conspicuous part in social life.—Reuter.

## SCOTT'S BID FOR NEW RECORD.

## THE WORST PART COMPLETED.

London, June 1. Flight Lieutenant C. W. A. Scott, whose flight from England to Australia in April established a record, arrived this morning at Karachi on his homeward journey. He left for Jask at noon.

Scott has completed this part of his journey from Wyndham, Western Australia, in seven days.

The record for the Australia to England flight of 12 days, is held by Air Commodore Kingsford-Smith who also held the England to Australia record—until it was lowered by Scott.—British Wireless.

## PORTUGAL SHOWS HOW.

## STABILISATION OF CURRENCY.

Lisbon, June 2. The Portuguese Government has issued a decree stabilising the currency at the rate of 11 gold escudos to the pound sterling as from July 1.—Reuter.

## THE FEETHAM REPORT.

## AN UNEXPECTED PART III.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, June 2. It is disclosed that Mr. Justice Feetham, the First Part of whose Report on Shanghai and the future of the International Settlement has intensified interest in Part II, has also prepared an additional Part.

It is anticipated that Part II will be available for publication by the middle of June. It will contain Mr. Justice Feetham's proposals regarding the future of the Settlement.

Part III will be very brief, but will be equally important. It is

expected to contain recommendations as to how to bring into effect the suggestions made

## NEW \$2,000,000 BUILDING PROJECT.

## AMBITION WING ON VENTURE.

## UP TO TEN STOREYS IF PERMITTED.

## TALLEST IN COLONY.

TO MARK the 25th anniversary of its establishment and to demonstrate its colossal growth over that period, the Wing On Company is next year embarking upon a building project on which they are prepared to spend at least two million dollars.

The ambitious nature of the scheme is such that while it will meet the demands of a growing business and plans to branch out into entirely new fields, it will give to the Colony, if sanction can be obtained, its highest building, a compact block of ten storeys.

This magnificent new building, construction on which is to commence about the end of next year, will arise on the existing site of the Company's stores, forming a homogeneous block of 30 shop spaces, of which half front on Des Voeux Road Central and the other half on the waterfront.

Final details regarding the lay-out of the proposed building are still in a nebulous stage, as the further opinion of architects, and the views of the building authorities will have to be consulted on the type best suited to the purposes of the Company, but it is possible to give at least some idea of the extent of the project.

**Steel Frame Building.**  
The Company has set aside ample reserves from a Building Fund which will ensure a building of colossal dimensions without sacrificing solidarity and permanency.

A steel-frame foundation similar to that employed in the new Gloucester Building, to quote a near example, will mark the first process of construction. Stone and concrete will convert the skeleton into an imposing structure, going to as great a height as is permitted.

While it is the fond hope of the Company that they will be allowed to go up to as high as ten storeys and thus confer distinction to their structure as being the tallest building in the Colony, the fact is not overlooked that a decision on this point has in any event to be referred to the Building Authority for approval.

**Half at a Time.**  
For the moment, the Company is proceeding on the assumption of being allowed at least a minimum of eight storeys.

Building will be carried out in two sections, commencing with the western half of the present block bound by Wa Man Lane. This will enable the Company to carry on business during the whole process of construction, estimated to last for a year-and-a-half.

If possible, the verandahs will be preserved as adding to the utility of the structure as a whole, and in other directions, the interior lay-out and means of ingress and egress will be planned on up-to-date lines and with full consideration for the needs of the business and of the public.

**Central Arcade.**  
An arcade will run through the centre of the building, from Des Voeux Road to the waterfront, and this will provide the store with its main entrances. Half-way along the length of this arcade, lifts with a capacity of 25 passengers, will be installed, and these together with a main staircase built around the shafts, will give access to the upper departments of the stores.

The whole of the ground floor with the exception of a corner formed by the angle of Rumsey St. and Des Voeux Road which has been set aside for a lobby and lifts to a hotel and of the first, second and third floors, will be given over to the business of the department stores.

The fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, and what additional floors may be required by the Wing On Company, and has an area of

authorities, will be occupied by the new Tatting (Great Eastern) Hotel at present occupying the up-

per floors in that portion of the block facing the waterfront as to one half of the area only.

### Amusement Park.

The other half will be occupied by an up-to-date Chinese restaurant, on the same lines as the recently-opened Great China Restaurant, with a roof garden that is proportionately held out as a park containing many forms of amusements for the public. On these upper floors the Company will also have their administrative offices.

The new block bounded by Des Voeux Road and the Central Praya on its two main sides, and by Wa Man Lane and Rumsey Street on the others, will have a length of 240 feet and a depth of 160 feet.

It is on a site which is the exclusive property of the Wing On Company, and has an area of

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## Silver Inquiry in China.

## Nevada's Senators to Collaborate.

## HONGKONG STUDY.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, June 2.

The two champions of Nevada's silver interests, Senator Key Pittman and Senator Oddie will meet in Shanghai to-day to discuss the silver problem with leading local financial executives.

Senator Oddie and his party arrived yesterday aboard the U.S.S. Henderson from Manila and Hongkong, and Senator Pittman is due to arrive to-day from Japan aboard the ss. President Jefferson.

On his arrival, there will be a reception given by Mr. Julian Arnold, the U.S. Commercial Attaché at his offices.

After a survey of conditions in Shanghai, both representatives will proceed to Hongkong to make a further study, returning later in the month in order to study the situation in the North, Peking, Tientsin, Manchuria etc.

It is also reported that the Party will visit Nanking to discuss the matter of rehabilitation with officials of the National Government.

**MRS. MONTAGU IN MOSCOW.**

## COMPLETES PROJECTED AIR JOURNEY.

Moscow, June 1.

The Hon. Mrs. Edwin Montagu has made excellent time in her new plane, arriving at Moscow to-day after a journey lasting three days from A-khabad, completing her tour after some thrilling adventures.

Her first plane, it will be recalled, was destroyed by fire in a crash landing, the occupants being pulled out just in time.—Reuter.

## KING HOLDS THIRD LEVEE.

## MEETS HIS UNCLE WHILE EN ROUTE.

London, June 1.

While H. M. the King was driving in full state from Buckingham Palace to St. James' Palace to-day to hold the third levee of the season he met his uncle, the Duke of Connaught, whose closed motor-car slowed down to allow the Royal Procession to pass.

The King leaned forward and smiled at his uncle, who raised his hat and bowed.—British Wireless.

## MINERS' HOURS.

### AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT.

Geneva, June 1.

A working day of seven and three-quarter hours in coal-mines has been approved by 30 votes to 15, by the Conference at the International Labour Office dealing with miners' hours.—Reuter.

**STRONG HAND IN SPAIN.**

## GAOL FOR RETICENT BANKERS.

Madrid, June 1.

Stern measures are being taken by the Republican Provisional Government with a view to countering the depreciation of the peseta.

The Minister of Finance states that he had ordered bankers to submit a statement of foreign and Spanish gold securities in their hands, and foreign currencies deposited with them.

If the statements returned are found to be incorrect, the bank directors concerned will be imprisoned.

That the activities of the Republican Government have not altered the allegiance of the public has been strikingly revealed to-day by the returns of a number of municipal bye-elections which took place yesterday.

Those results were as follows:

The Republicans and Socialists

have triumphed almost every-

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## MOTHER AND CHILD KIDNAPPED.

### WOMAN SOLD IN CHINESE TERRITORY.

Two men appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday on charges of kidnapping a widow and her son the day after their arrival in the Colony from the Sun Wu District in December last.

According to the evidence, the widow and her three year old child were brought from the country to Hongkong by the woman's mother on the suggestion of a friend in Hongkong who had promised to find employment for the two women. On arrival they were introduced to Chan Ngau, the second defendant, who was to take the younger of the women to find work. In turn the second defendant introduced her to the first and they both took her and her son to a tea house, and then went by train to an unknown destination.

In Chinese territory the woman was sold as a concubine and lived there for some five months. In the meantime her mother was searching for her in Hongkong and, after having found the second defendant, demanded the return of her daughter, but without avail. The mother subsequently made a report to the Police, and on the two defendants being found in Hongkong they were arrested. The hearing was adjourned.

## A SCHOOL CONCERT.

### KING'S COLLEGE PUPILS' BRIGHT ENTERTAINMENT.

A concert organized by the pupils of King's College and in which the musical attainments of a number were convincingly demonstrated to a large gathering, had its venue at the College Hall last evening. The occasion was in the nature of a reunion of pupils and parents, it was explained by Mr. A. Morris, the Headmaster, in consequence of which the capacity of the hall, spacious as it was, was taxed to overflowing.

The programme commenced with a selection given by a Chinese orchestra formed by a number of the students, following which Chit Put-wai and Lau Chung-kwong gave a piano duet which was much applauded. Lo Hung-hing contributed a violin solo, his rendering of "Souvenir" being one of the features of the evening. An English play entitled "A Night at the Inn" and a Chinese comedy entitled "To the Concert," the latter conceived by Chan Tak-chin, were warmly received.

The trial scene from "The Merchant of Venice," revealed evidence of much preparation and pains taken by the pupils and their tutors. Mr. G. Sims, who directed the Shakespearean production, is to be congratulated on the success which attended his efforts.

Credit is also due to Miss Langley, who was responsible for the costuming, and to Miss Eleanor Thorp who looked after the get-up of the other plays.

## ADULTERATED MILK.

### FORTY PER CENT. OF WATER DISCOVERED.

Appearing before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon on a summons for having sold on May 6 milk which was not of the nature, substance or quality demanded, to the prejudice of the purchaser, Mr. G. D. Reid, a Chinese Fred Li-hing, was fined \$150.

Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, who prosecuted, said that there was forty per cent. of water in the milk, and it was a serious matter if milk of this adulteration were taken by children or invalids.

Mr. M. A. da Silva, appearing for the defence, said that the defendant dealt with the Tung Fo dairy, who supplied him with the milk. He was not aware that it was adulterated. He asked that this fact be taken into consideration in the sentence.

## SALESMAN SAM



## PEDDER STREET INCIDENT.

### SOLDIERS CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

Hearing of the assault charge against Privates P. J. Brain and H. James, of the South Wales Borderers, was commenced before Mr. Williams, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

Outlining the case, Mr. T. Murphy, A.S.P., said that on the night of May 6, two Chinese detectives were out on patrol in Pedder Street, when they encountered a party of three Europeans dressed in civilian attire. Without any reason that was apparent, one of the detectives was slapped while his companion was also struck in the chest, the man who was alleged to have carried out these two assaults being described as the shorter of the two defendants now in Court, Private Brain.

A whistle was blown, and in running away the defendants were arrested by other police, one of whom said he saw the detective Chan Kiu being kicked as he lay on the ground. A Chinese woman, who turned up at the Police Station later, also said she saw the assault, but denied having spoken to any of the Europeans prior to the incident.

### Medical Evidence.

Dr. Isaac Newton was the first witness called. He deposed that Chan Kiu was admitted into the Government Civil Hospital in a semi-conscious condition, restless and vomiting, on one occasion, a streak of blood. He continued to be in a drowsy condition until May 7 when, in addition, he showed signs of cerebral irritation. He began to show improvement on May 18, and now behaved quite rationally and to all outward appearances, fit.

The patient had some severe cerebral injury the exact nature of which witness could not determine. It had affected his memory so far as the incident in which he received this injury was concerned, although his memory as regards past and recent events appeared to be normal. The detective would not be fit for work until the end of the next month, and he would not be able to appear in the Court until then.

### A Very Thin Man.

In reply to Mr. Murphy, witness said he could observe no external bruises or other marks of injury. The patient however, complained to him of headache and pain in the back. An X-Ray examination failed to reveal any bone injuries in the skull or spine. When first admitted, he was in no position to make a reply to any questions that witness would have put. He was a thin man, much thinner than he should have been, and he was even thinner now.

In conversation he appeared to be normal, except when questioned in regard to the incident and then his memory became indistinct.

That much was told witness by those who had endeavoured to question him in regard to the facts of the present case. Such partial loss of memory was quite common, declared Dr. Newton.

Unprovoked Assault.

Lui Luk, who was the other detective accompanying Chan Kiu on patrol, on the evening in question, said they were walking under the verandah at Pedder Street when they encountered three Europeans coming from the opposite direction. The shortest of the three—witness identified him as Pte. Brain—was walking in front of the other two, and it was Brain who, without any reason that was apparent to him, slapped him in the face. As he staggered into the roadway holding his head, he saw Chan Kiu also being assaulted by Brain who struck him in the chest. Chan Kiu dropped to the ground.

Witness blew his whistle while endeavouring to lift Chan Kiu up. He later saw Brain again as he was brought back by another constable. He could not identify James as having been amongst the party of three he saw before the incident. Chan Kiu was not able to speak after witness had returned to his side.

The case was adjourned.

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sign of a kick having been administered, and no teeth were broken. The point was, that it did not require a very great blow on such a small man to produce cerebral injury.

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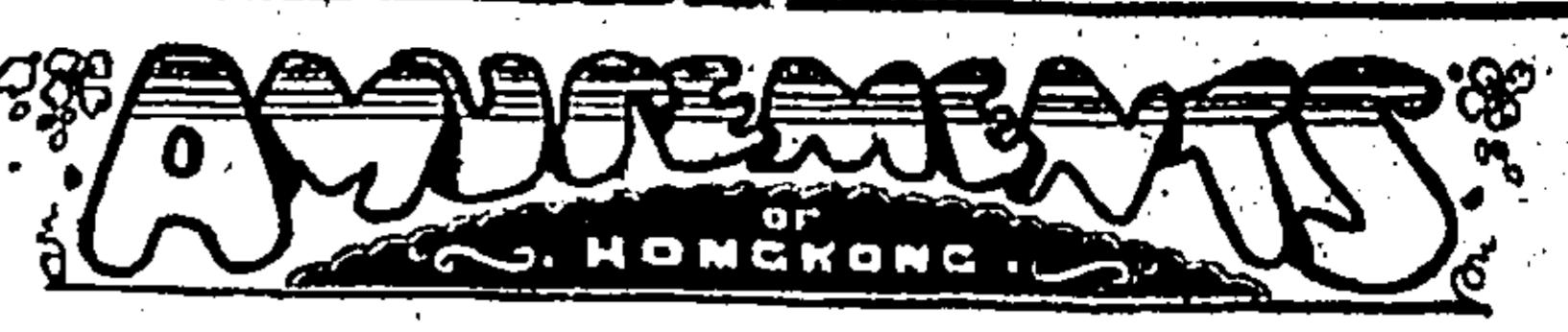
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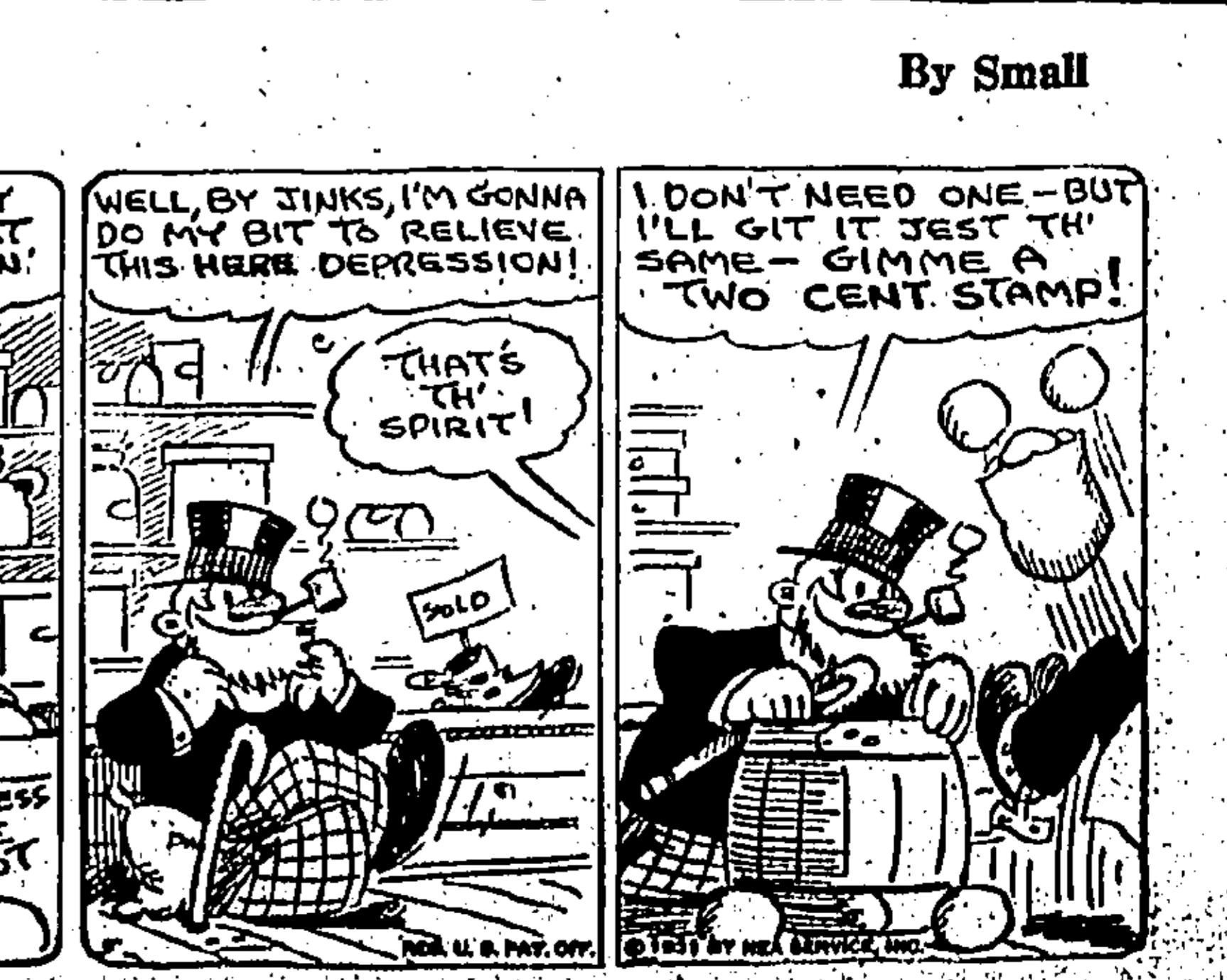
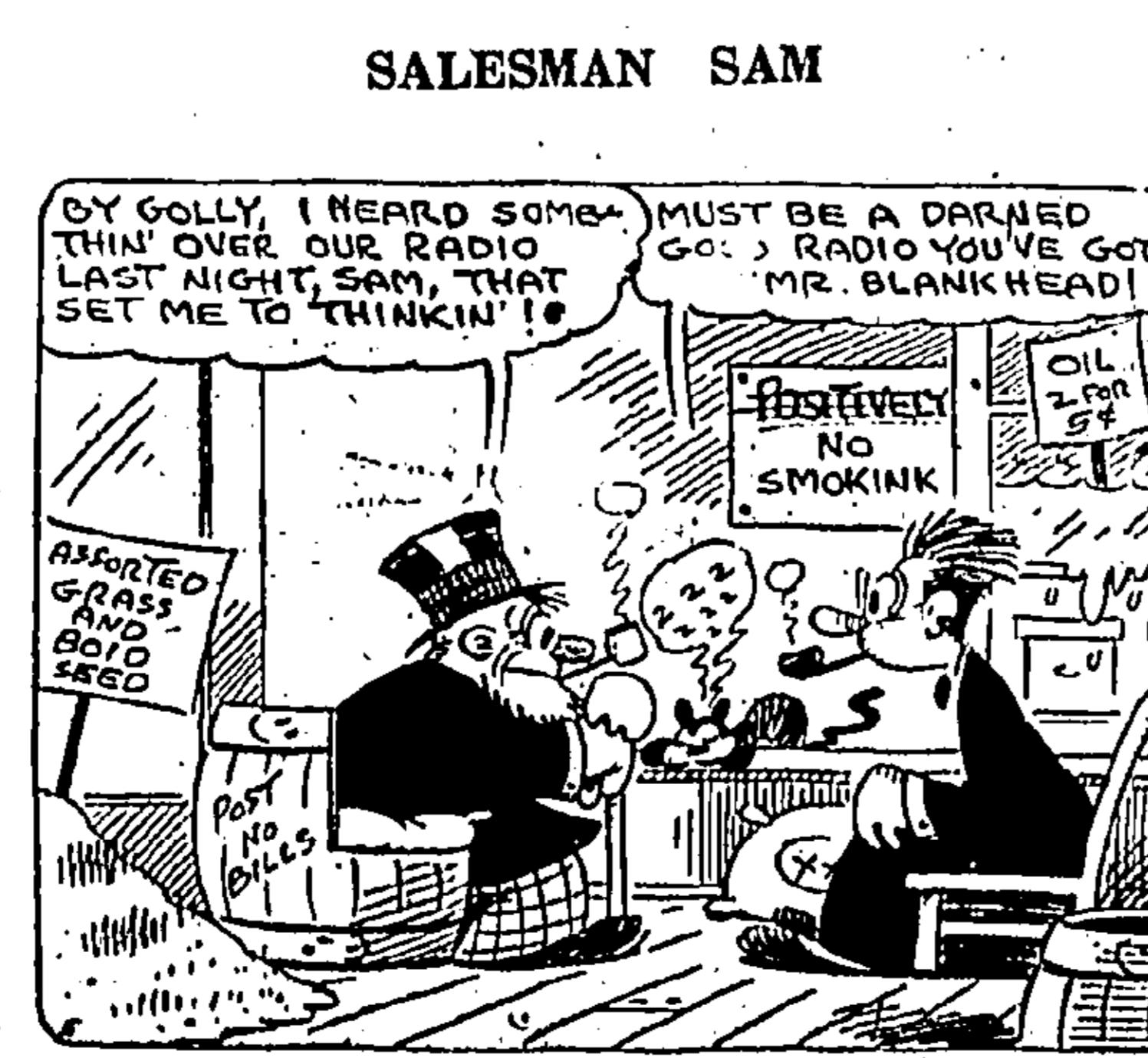
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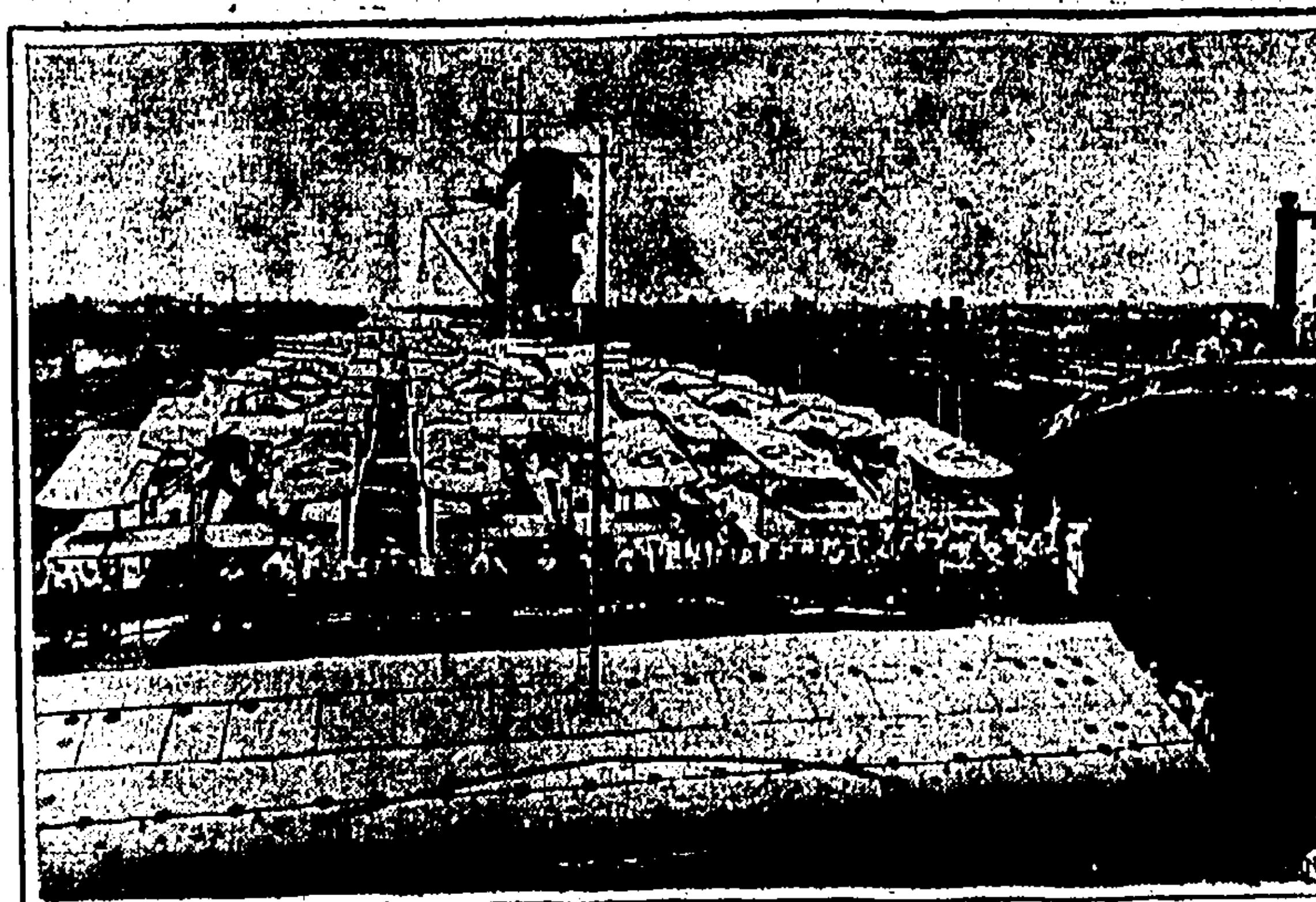
Official sanction to salmon angling was given when Oregon's governor, Julius L. Meier, joined a party on the Willamette near Oregon City. Governor Meier, wearing a beret, landed two good sized salmon during the day.



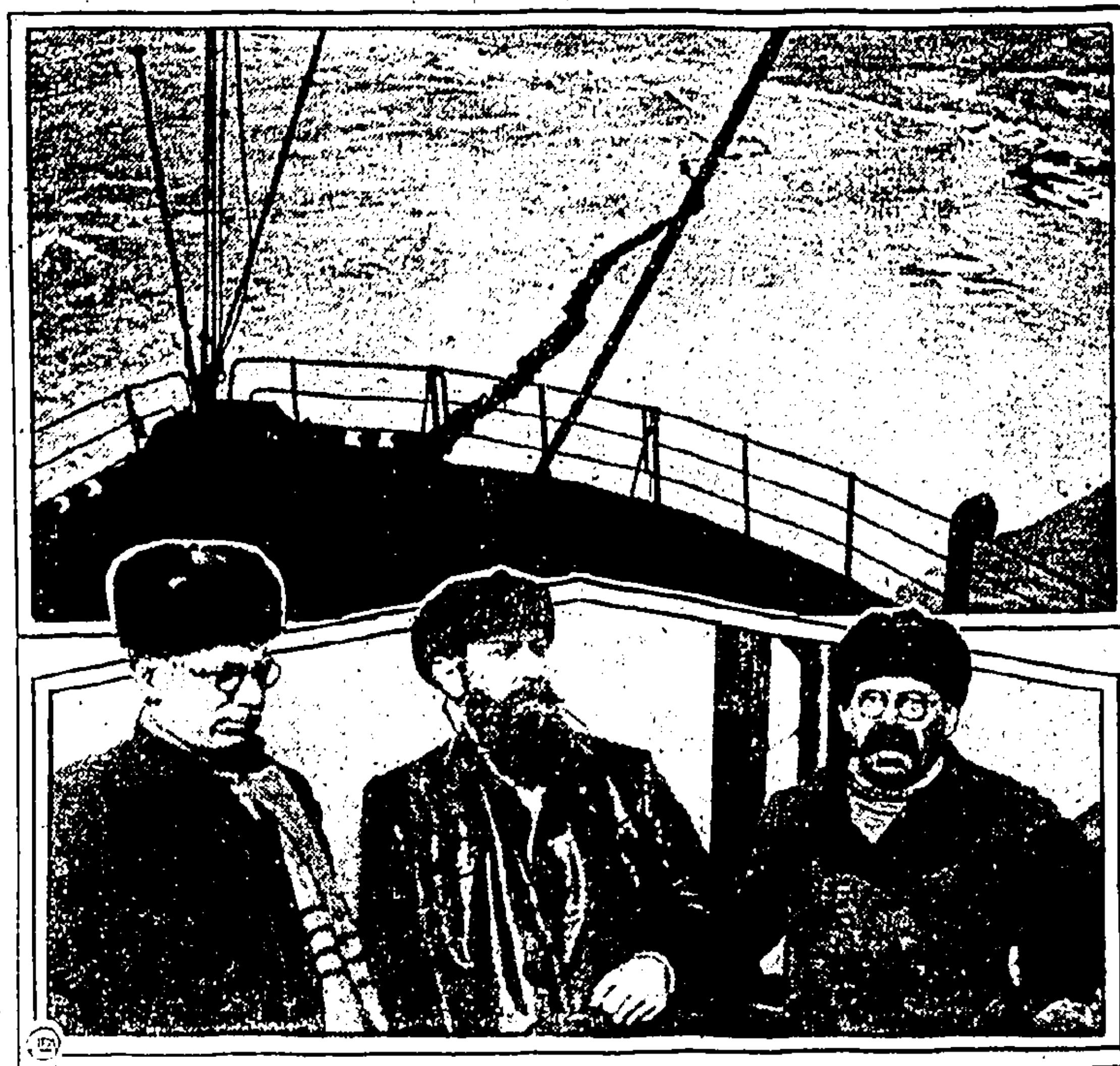
A regulation has just been passed requiring all Government servants in Mexico to supply their finger prints. Our photo shows President Rubio conforming to the ruling at the Controller's Office.



Dr. Wilson Wade, of Cullin Loper Colony, shown above, second from left, when he paid a visit to the famous Hongkow Clinic.



With its sides almost scraping, the aeroplane carrier Lexington of the U.S. Navy, loaded with swift scouting planes, is shown above as it passed through a lock in the Panama canal.



A travel cruise into the Arctic is scheduled to start from Archangel next month! Tourists will be "shown around" by three noted Russian explorers, shown above, right to left, Prof. Vize, Prof. Schmidt, and Prof. Samoilovitch. Upper picture shows the prow of the icebreaker Maligin, which will carry wealthy soakers after adventure.



The formal opening of the grounds and club-house of the newly formed Association Sportive Francais took place in Shanghai recently. More than 300 people were present. Above photo shows some of the official guests.



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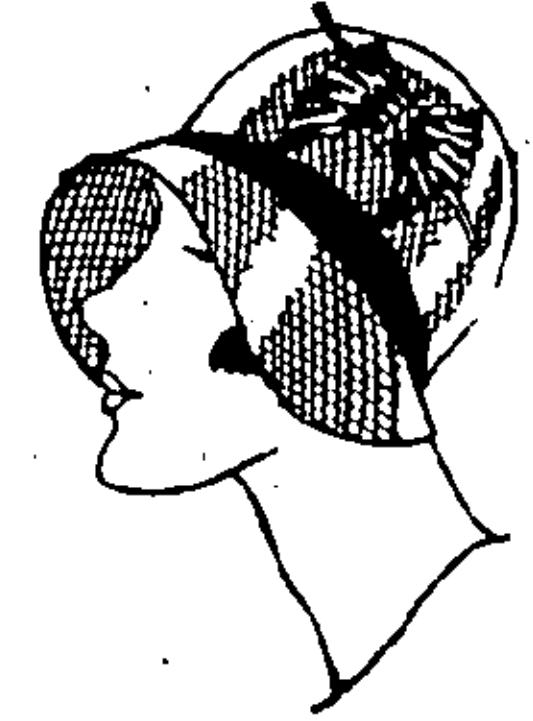
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## LANE, CRAWFORD, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the  
Ninth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of  
Shareholders will be held at  
Exchange Building, Des Voeux  
Road, Hong Kong, on Wednesday,  
17th June, 1931, at Noon.

The Transfer Books of the  
Company will be closed from 8th  
June, 1931 to 17th June, 1931, both  
days inclusive.

By order of the Board of  
Directors.

A. W. BROWN,  
Secretary,  
Hongkong, 1st June, 1931.

## PEAK TRAMWAYS CO. LTD.

## NOTICE.

LATE CAR SERVICE.

The Public are notified that  
Late Cars are available immediately  
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the hours of 12.15 a.m. and  
3.00 a.m. unless a Notice to the  
contrary is advertised during the  
preceding day.

Fares 60 cents per passenger  
with a minimum charge of \$2.  
per car.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers,

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY  
OF CANTON, LIMITED.

## NOTICE.

From this date and during the  
absence of the Undersigned from  
the Colony, Mr. H. C. GRAY is  
appointed Acting General Manager  
of the Society.

By Order of the Board.

PAUL LAUDER,  
General Manager,  
Hongkong, 1st June, 1931.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LTD.

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Hongkong, 1st June, 1931.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE  
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A Meeting will be held at  
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All Interested are cordially  
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## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that the business heretofore  
carried on by Kawaji Sorabji  
Pavri at No. 32, Wyndham Street,  
Hong Kong, under the style or firm  
name of "K. S. Pavri" will in  
future be carried on under the  
style or firm name of "K. S.  
PAVRI & SONS".

Dated the 27th day of May, 1931.

## THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Seventh Extra Race Meet-  
ing will be held (weather per-  
mitting) at Happy Valley on  
Saturday, 6th June, 1931, com-  
mencing at 2 p.m.

The first bell will be rung at  
1.30 p.m.

## MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they  
and their Ladies must wear their  
Badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be  
admitted to the Members' Enclo-  
sure. Badges admitting non-  
members to the Members'

Enclosure and Club Rooms  
at \$5. for Gentlemen and  
\$3. for Ladies (both including  
tax) are obtainable through the  
Secretary upon introduction by a  
member, such member to be  
responsible for payment of all  
chits etc.

Badges admitting to Members'  
Enclosure will not be on sale at  
the Race Course.

Members can obtain upon ap-  
plication to the Secretary Badges  
(limited to ONE) for the free  
admission to the Members' Enclo-  
sure.

On no pretext will children be  
permitted in either Enclosure  
during the Meeting.

## PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the  
Public Enclosure is \$2. including  
tax, for all persons including  
ladies and is payable at the  
Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform  
are admitted half price.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac Men &c  
will not be permitted to operate  
within the precincts of the Hong-  
kong Jockey Club during the  
Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the  
Restaurant in the Public Enclo-  
sure.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

## BANK HOLIDAYS.

In accordance with Government  
Ordinance, the Exchange Banks  
will be closed for the transaction  
of public business on Wednesday,  
the 3rd June, (The Birthday of His  
Majesty, the King), Hongkong, 29th May, 1931.

The Transfer Books of the Com-  
pany will be closed from the  
10th June to 1st July, 1931, both  
days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.

JARDINE, MATHESON &  
CO., LTD.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1931.

INDO-CHINA STEAM  
NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

The Fiftieth Ordinary General  
Meeting of the Company will be  
held at the Offices of the General  
Managers, Messrs. Jardine Matheson  
& Co., Ltd., Pedder Street,  
Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 17th  
June, 1931, at Noon for the purpose  
of receiving the Report of the  
Directors, passing the Accounts,  
and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Com-  
pany will be closed from the  
10th June to 1st July, 1931, both  
days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.

JARDINE, MATHESON &  
CO., LTD.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1931.

No. H.G.A. pen and  
balancing pencilMarine Green  
Balancing pencil  
No. HTSCSome girls make a pretty  
picture while hanging one.

## Gentlewoman

10% Discount off BLACK SATINS.  
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**WOMEN'S WORLD**  
FOR OUR LADY READERS.

Bridesmaids Rival Bride in Chic.



PRETTY as a picture is this bridesmaid's dress of pale peach chiffon, made with a deeply ruffled skirt, soft blue velvet girdle and something brand new in the way of bridesmaid's jackets, a quilted shawl cape that ties in the front and is removable. The flattering picture hat is of soft blue, tied with a pale peach velvet bow. The slippers are blue moire, with peach satin tips. (Courtesy from Borgdorff Goodman, New York.)

**FASHION NOTES.****Popular Cotton Frocks.**

For evening the cotton frock is the "darling" of the Paris *couture*. The dress-makers are showing hundreds of different kinds of organza, dotted Swiss, and silver cyclot embroidery muslin evening frocks made of natural-coloured flesh muslin, as thin as organza. And, would you believe it, there are evening dresses of white cambric! These are usually trimmed with cambric frills, the frills edged in pastel colours. After the cotton evening frock comes the lace dress, made of silk, artificial silk, or linen lace, and in tiny, medium, and very large patterns.

There are thousands of chiffon frocks, plain or printed, and the satin dress are legion. Taffetas and faille frocks are also good.

When a printed chiffon frock is worn, the large leaf-print is newer and smarter than the floral print. With your evening dress you will wear a contrasting waist-length wrap, a sort of jacket, and the bolero, with wide, short, Japanese sleeves is a good type, or you may like to wear a two-thirds length satin coat, or choose one of the new short capes that are banded with fur at the hip-line. White fur—imitation if you can't afford real—is revived for trimmings and separate scarves.

Hats have bindings and trimmings of patent leather. Shoes are very high over the instep, reminiscent of those our ancestors wore in the days of Charles I. and Charles II.

**TABULATING TASTES.****PHOTOGRAPHS.****Of the Flattering Type.**

A well-known London photographer, I see, announces that he never photographs women.

This, according to his own statement, is not because the average man is more clever or more interesting than the average woman, but simply because he finds that his work can be more sincere if he deals only with men clients.

Women, it seems, invariably want to be shown not as they really are, but as they would like to be.

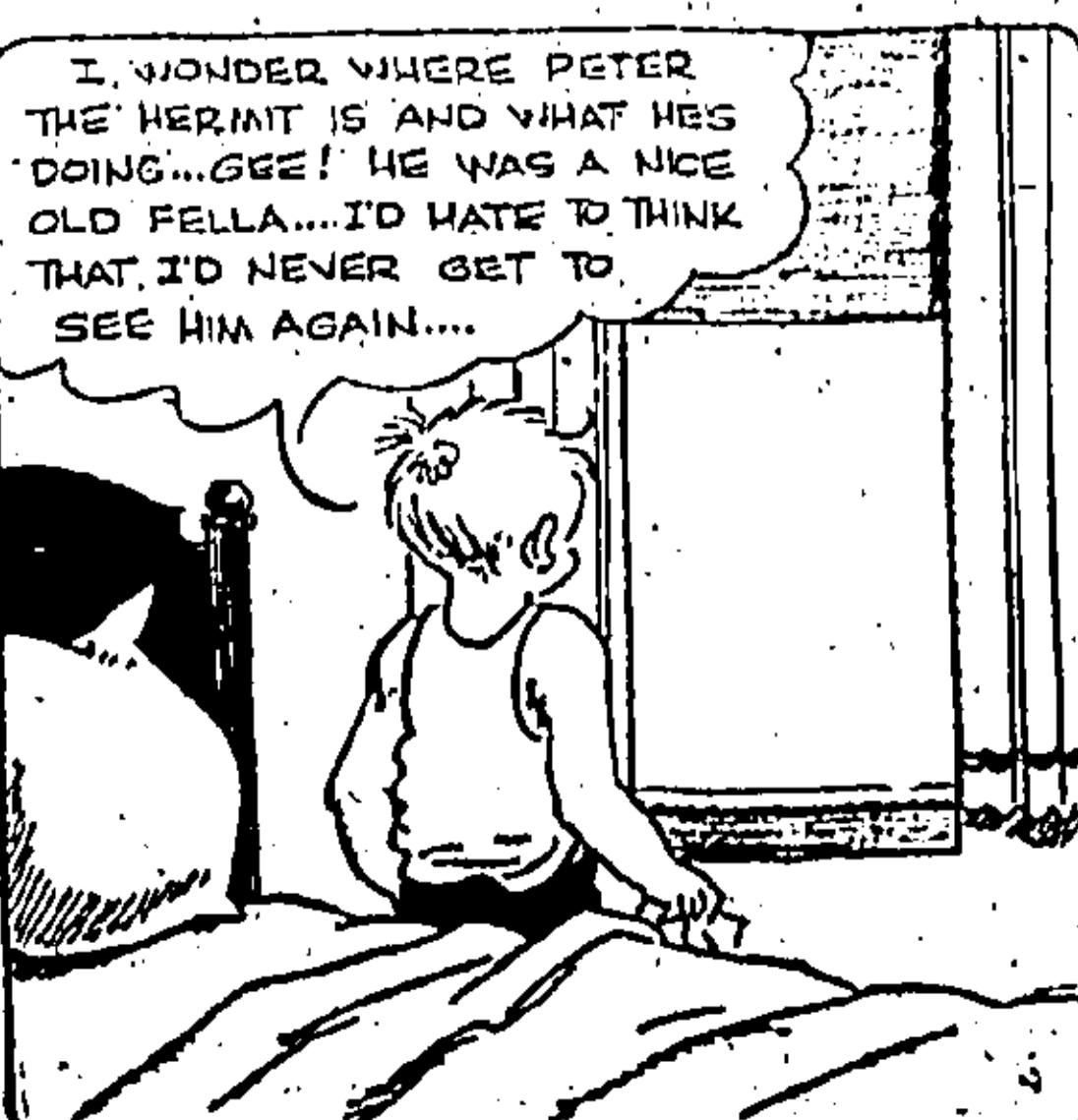
And who can blame them?

Even the best photographer must grant that a photograph cannot be in any case a perfect reproduction of the sitter, and if a woman has to choose between a picture that makes the best of her and errs a little in her favour, and one which places stark accuracy first, or, possibly, makes the best of her to the photographer's mind but not to hers, she will certainly, in nine cases out of ten, choose the first.

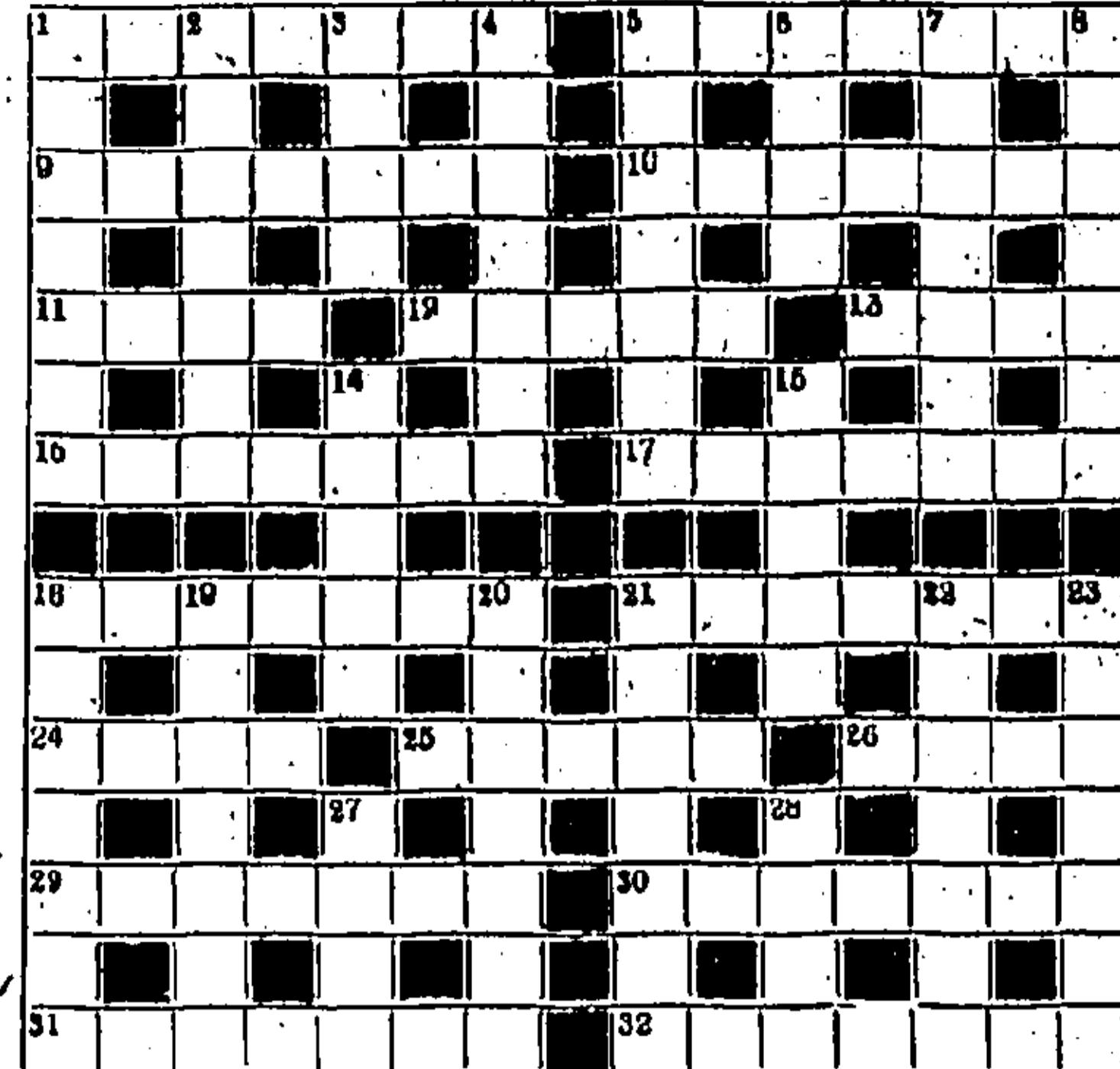
Even Memory, after a very short time, will not reproduce exactly as we are. Why not assist us to the kind of picture which we like ourselves?—H.M. In Exchange.

**GOLF BALL CLOCK.**

The craze for miniature golf has inspired many novelties. A new clock is concealed in a golf ball of standard size; the cover is of white composition with the familiar markings. The clock can be carried about in a pocket or arranged to stand on a table.

**FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS****The Past!**

By Blosser

**OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.****Across**

- 1 This is quite a blessing.
- 5 This sounds like the tale of a pig.
- 9 Get information from the family about the world, by all means.
- 10 "Big rice," but you won't find it in India (name).
- 11 A Scottish island.
- 12 Precious stones.
- 13 A Frenchman would not find this in the least unbearable.
- 14 May be seen now and again in an old window, but if you go out and I go in there are hundreds of hundred.
- 15 Keep back and squeeze out again.
- 16 We must enquire into this and see where we get our coal.
- 21 Here a body of troops encircles a Russian town in but.
- 22 It is true the bed is not made.
- 23 One of the coming horses.
- 24 This clue, I'm afraid, must prove an offering to the solver, but he won't have to go far for a glass of wine as a restorative.
- 25 You can't say, "This is rich."
- 26 Pertaining to a southwayer.
- 27 Thoroughly wash the young woman, and seek her on the bonny mountain-side.
- 28 Those whose duty it is to test the quality of food—would appear to have indulged in a floricultural meal.
- 29 Sounds like a bit of a fuss, but it all depends on the saddle.

Yesterday's Solution

C	E	L	S	S	M	I	D	L	R
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C	O	B	R	A	H	P	P	R	U
A	F	C	T	I	R	E	N	E	P
O	I	L	S	K	I	N	A	S	Y
N	U	E	B	C	L	I	T	E	U
S	T	A	B	S	L	E	G	H	U
L	E	E	I	T	H	U	N	D	I
I	N	O	R	D	I	N	O	N	A
A	D	A	S	I	D	A	S	I	D

**Down**

- 1 Religious ceremony.
- 2 I'm going up in this, but it's not real.
- 3 Be careful—for this will leave you.
- 4 This figure has a lot of side.

Yesterday's Solution

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Starting at the middle "H" in the third row of circles from the top, and following the line all the way to the R, in the left hand, lower corner, you will spell out, "How doth the little bee improve each shining hour."

**STICKERS**

did I MISS SIS

By switching the letters in the above sentence around and turning some of them upside-down, you can make them spell one word.

**SUGAR MARKET.****THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.**

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

**London Terminals.**

March 1932 6/8½ down ¼d.  
May 1932 6/10½ down ¼d.  
August 1931 6/3¾ down ¼d.  
December 1931 6/6½ down ¼d.

**New York Terminals.**

March 1932 1.44 down 1 pt.  
May 1932 1.51 down 1 pt.  
July 1931 1.20 down 2 pts.  
September 1931 1.27 down 1 pt.  
December 1931 1.37 down 1 pt.  
London (1/6/31). — Cubans 96%, G.I.F. U.K. June/July, bushels have been done, and buyers 6/4½.

London, June 1.  
The Victoria Club call-over for the Derby gives the following:  
4/1 Cameronian t. and o.  
19/2 Pomme d'Apel t. and o.  
10/1 Doctor Dolittle t. and o.  
100/8 Orpen t. and o.  
13/1 Govescas t. and o.  
22/1 Jacopo, Sandwich t. and o.  
25/1 Revillon, Sir Andrew t. and o.  
33/1 Link Boy t. and o.  
30/1 Shell Transport t. and o.  
40/1 Rose en Solilo t. 50/1 t.  
40/1 Estate Duty, Zanoff t. and o.  
45/1 Goldstream t. and o.  
45/1 Lightning Star t.  
50/1 Gallini o. 60/1 t.  
60/1 Kholoma, Apperley o.  
100/1 Armagnac t. and o.  
100/1 the others, o.

—Reuter.

**DERBY ODDS.****OFFERS AT THE VICTORIA CLUB CALL-OVER.**

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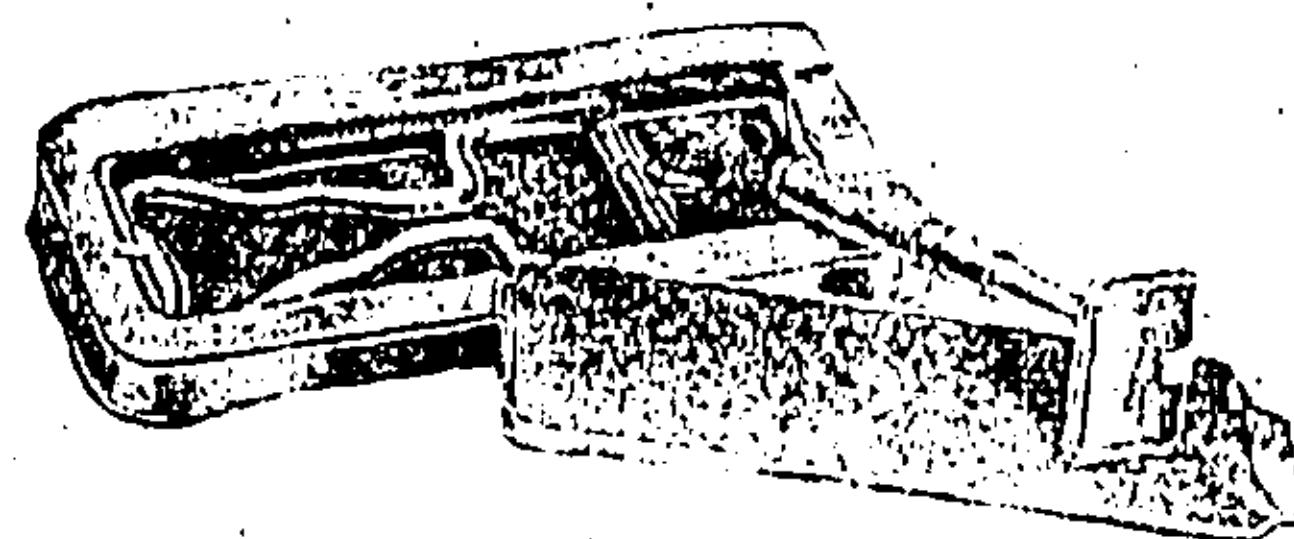
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**DEATH.**

LOPES.—On June 1, 1931, Leocadio L. Lopes, formerly of Chinese Maritime Customs' Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Shanghai and Macau papers please copy).

**The  
Hongkong Telegraph.**

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1931.

**THE SWEEPSTAKE  
CRAZE.**

Whilst very many people will be with the Prime Minister in bemoaning the fact that, in times like the present, millions of pounds should be spent in England on sweepstakes, the fact remains that an issue has thereby been raised which will have to be faced. On moral and other grounds, we may deplore the position, but that does not get over the fact that people will indulge in this form of gambling. The prospects of big prizes, of course, provide the attraction, and people who are not by any means confirmed gamblers will risk a few shillings in the hope of gaining great wealth. This is, after all, human nature. If the full facts could be disclosed, it would probably be found that the subscribers to the Irish Derby Sweep include practically every class of people, not excluding churchgoers or others who might be expected to have scruples in the matter of wholesale gambling. Moreover, the great majority of these people would probably resent any suggestion that they are doing anything wrong or particularly reprehensible.

An attempt was made a few days ago to introduce a Bill in the House of Commons authorising the raising of money by lotteries for the support of British hospitals, but the House refused permission for the introduction of the measure. Thus we have a position in which financially-starved English hospitals are shut out from receiving money from such a source, whilst Irish institutions flourish on English money. This matter has been the subject of a great deal of comment at Home latterly, and it has been suggested that a Select Committee might be appointed to deal with the whole question of lotteries and sweepstakes. This may not be the best way of tackling the subject, but it is obvious that a lead of some kind is needed. The attempts by Mr. Clynes to suppress participation in the Free State Derby sweepstake have shown how strong are the currents of opinion which he has set himself to combat. The tickets which he had threatened to poppy, is tackled.

so late at the ports have even been flaunted in his face in the House of Commons. With three departments of State—the Home Office, the Post Office, and the Customs—busily manufacturing criminals, and with magistrates all over the country giving contrary decisions as to what is legal, the law is being thoroughly brought into contempt. As one writer has remarked, we do not want this question of gambling to become the bugaboo that Prohibition has proved itself in America.

The concern of the Government over the sweepstake craze would be more fully appreciated if the law absolutely and rigorously set itself against gambling in any form, but when revenue is derived from bets on horse-racing, it becomes difficult to understand the Premier's righteous indignation. Moreover, raffles and innumerable competitions so popular at home are just sheer gambling, and yet no effort is made to suppress these schemes for catching the public's money. To the ordinary man, the most sensible way of dealing with the question would be to recognise that people will speculate and to divert their inclinations into desirable channels. The premium bond system, so much favoured on the Continent, might well be introduced in Britain and prove an extremely fruitful source of income to the Government. The trouble is, however, not so much that there is any inherent objection to this form of raising money, but that any political Party which put forward the plan would have to face the prospect of losing the votes of narrow-minded electors of the type of those who have come into prominence in connexion with the Sunday cinema issue. Some sanity of outlook, based on a recognition of facts, and a little less cant, would seem to be needed.

**The Drug Traffic.**

A workable agreement at the international drug conference now proceeding at Geneva, depends almost entirely upon the willingness of the countries chiefly interested to accept production quotas. In one direction, success is practically assured. The manufacturers of cocaine have already tentatively agreed to a definite limit upon exports. The bigger problem, that dealing with opium and its derivatives, remains. Hitherto, in spite of lengthy preliminary discussions, no signs have been forthcoming of readiness to accept quotas for the export of morphine and other derivatives of the poppy, the principal difficulty being the opposition offered by Japan, Persia and Turkey. There is no sign that opinions have undergone any marked change since the suggested quota figures created a bubble of discord some months ago, and the outlook is not very promising. Yet, if any plan is to succeed, it must commend itself to all the signatories, and even the non-signatories, without reservation. Otherwise nothing can be done to curb the drug traffic. All that happens when the tightening of restrictions in any one country begins to have its effect is that the nefarious trade moves to another country where the Government is less strict. The example of the development of huge factories in Constantinople is a case in point. Before France, Switzerland, Holland and Germany began to keep a careful check upon exports, Turkey was out of the main field. A few months ago she offered the biggest problem from an international viewpoint, and even now she ranks fourth in the list of countries manufacturing opium derivatives. Japan's attitude is also typical. She declares officially that she takes no part in drug exporting, but is not prepared to tie herself down to restrictive figures on the ground that she sees no reason why manufacture for export should be confined to those countries already engaged in the trade. The argument is reasonable enough in a general way, but it does not help to provide a solution to the world problem. Then again Japan might very well question whether there will ever be a solution until the root problem, the cultivation of the poppy, is tackled.

In prosecuting a Chinese before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of the theft of a clock from one of the private bathing matches at North Point, Inspector Stimson, on the defendant admitting the charge, said the accused had been recently discharged from prison for stealing a quantity of sports gear from the swimming sheds in April last. The defendant was given two months' hard labour.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning before Mr. Hamilton, Revenue Officer Humphreys charged Fung Pak with possession of 42 taels of prepared opium at \$4, Woosung Street. On admitting the charge, the man was fined \$256 or three months' imprisonment. The same officer charged Yip Shing and Chan Sing with possession of 8.5 and 35 taels of raw opium at Mongkok Road and 105, Woosung Street, respectively. They were fined \$256 or two months' and \$1,050 or six months' respectively.

Hongkong estate amounting to \$1,400, with net personally elsewhere totalling £10,493 16s. 4d., was left by the late Mr. John Herbert Whitehorn, manufacturing jeweller of Messrs. Whitehorn Brothers, Limited, who died at The Corner House, Chesterford Gardens, Hampstead, Middlesex, on September 27, 1930. Re-sealing of certified copy of probate of the will and codicil has been granted to Mr. M. H. Turner of Messrs. Dickens, who is attorney for the executors. The will contains family bequests.

Judges are apt to be impatient of evidence, and especially of evidence given in a foreign tongue. My own countrymen, the Welsh, though bi-lingual in many places, and therefore better linguists than the English, naturally prefer to give evidence in Welsh rather than in what to them is a foreign tongue. Old-fashioned judges, who did not understand the psychology of perjury, believed that Welshmen asked for an interpreter for the purposes of evasion and deceit. A very learned judge who had recently been in the Welsh circuit told me he was convinced of this.

**DAY BY DAY**

THE ONLY FREEDOM THAT DESERVES THE NAME, IS THAT OF PURSUING OUR OWN GOOD IN OUR WAY, SO LONG AS WE DO NOT ATTEMPT TO DEPRIVE OTHERS OF THEIRS.—John Stuart Mill.

The P. & O. ss. Rajputana, from Hongkong, arrived at London on 29th May at 4 a.m.

The annual ordinary general meeting of the Peak Tramways Co., Ltd., will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on Monday, June 16.

Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., advertising the ninth ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders will be held at Exchange Buildings, on Wednesday, June 17, at noon.

The rainfall registered at the Botanic Gardens during May totalled 14.32 inches. Falls were recorded on 21 days, the biggest being 4.42 inches on the 19th. Two inches fell on the 24th and 2.84 inches on the 31st.

A notification issued by the Inspector General of Police with regard to the traffic arrangements which will be enforced during the ceremony at the Cenotaph on the occasion of H. M. The King's Birthday Review is published in this issue.

Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., advise that all departments will be closed on Wednesday, June 3. The Hongkong Dispensary, Dispensing department, will be opened for the dispensing of prescriptions from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

A report made to the police by Lai Li-shi, a married woman, of 146 Wan-chai Road, states that at about 6 p.m. on Sunday she entrusted her private richsha coolie with a sum of \$120 with which to pay certain debts but the coolie has disappeared with the money.

The body of a Chinese boatman was removed to the Kowloon Mortuary by the Water Police yesterday after having been found on a sunken sampan which had been moored to the Mongkok Ferry Wharf. The deceased, Chan Ho-ling, 39 years of age, had apparently been drowned. He was blind, and his body has been identified by his wife.

In prosecuting a Chinese before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of the theft of a clock from one of the private bathing matches at North Point, Inspector Stimson, on the defendant admitting the charge, said the accused had been recently discharged from prison for stealing a quantity of sports gear from the swimming sheds in April last. The defendant was given two months' hard labour.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning before Mr. Hamilton, Revenue Officer Humphreys charged Fung Pak with possession of 42 taels of prepared opium at \$4, Woosung Street. On admitting the charge, the man was fined \$256 or three months' imprisonment. The same officer charged Yip Shing and Chan Sing with possession of 8.5 and 35 taels of raw opium at Mongkok Road and 105, Woosung Street, respectively. They were fined \$256 or two months' and \$1,050 or six months' respectively.

Hongkong estate amounting to \$1,400, with net personally elsewhere totalling £10,493 16s. 4d., was left by the late Mr. John Herbert Whitehorn, manufacturing jeweller of Messrs. Whitehorn Brothers, Limited, who died at The Corner House, Chesterford Gardens, Hampstead, Middlesex, on September 27, 1930. Re-sealing of certified copy of probate of the will and codicil has been granted to Mr. M. H. Turner of Messrs. Dickens, who is attorney for the executors. The will contains family bequests.

Judges are apt to be impatient of evidence, and especially of evidence given in a foreign tongue. My own countrymen, the Welsh, though bi-lingual in many places, and therefore better linguists than the English, naturally prefer to give evidence in Welsh rather than in what to them is a foreign tongue. Old-fashioned judges, who did not understand the psychology of perjury, believed that Welshmen asked for an interpreter for the purposes of evasion and deceit. A very learned judge who had recently been in the Welsh circuit told me he was convinced of this.

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**The Tongue of the Law.**

By Sir EDWARD PARRY.

Knowing that he was a traveller and a linguist, I asked him, if he found himself in a French Court about to be cross-examined on a matter of grave importance by M. Labord, whether he would ask for an interpreter. After some hesitation he admitted that he probably would do so; but he still seemed to think my fellow countrymen very unreasonable folk. I suggested to him that English judges who sat in Wales should learn to speak and understand Welsh, at which he laughed heartily.

But nowadays County Courts in Welsh districts are nearly all conversant with the language, and as solicitors and witnesses are also Welsh speaking the proceedings are often carried on in the language of the inhabitants of the country. In modern Courts the prestige of the incomprehensible is not so much insisted upon as it was fifty years ago.

The best of judges and advocates will sometimes go astray because they do not understand the language of the market place or use a phrase which has a different interpretation in the mean streets to that which obtains in the Courts.

One of my learned brethren, who was trying a tangled case between two costermongers about the ownership of a donkey, when the time came for the adjournment nodded pleasantly to the litigants and said:

"Now, my men, I'm going to have my lunch, and before I come back I hope you'll settle your dispute out of Court."

On his return the plaintiff had a black eye, and the defendant, who had a bloody nose, spoke up cheerfully and said: "Well, your Honour, we've ta'en your Honour's advice; Tim's given me a damn good hiding and I've given him his donkey."

As a general rule it is the judge who really needs the interpreter in the interests of justice. I had many Yiddish cases to try in Manchester. The parties brought their own interpreters but they were far from reliable. In one of these cases a small scrap of paper turned up with a Yiddish inscription on it. One interpreter deciphered it as a receipt, and the other declared that it was an order for a new pair of boots. I adjourned the case and asked some friends on the Jewish Board of Guardians to send me an educated interpreter, which they did. Later on Lord Halsbury persuaded the Treasury to pay this gentleman a small fee. All properly equipped Courts should have a call on an official interpreter.

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**WATER LEVELs.**

**DETAILS FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.**

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in English feet the water levels on the West River, North River and East River on the dates named:

May June  
West River at Shihlung 0.8 0.4  
North River at Tsingyuen 11.9 15.1  
North River at Samshui 9.8 9.9  
East River at Samshui 7.2 8.5

The highest levels recorded are:  
Shihlung, 41 feet; Tsingyuen, 29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.8 feet; Shihlung, 11.5 feet.

The lowest levels on record are minus 5 feet at Samshui, and minus 2.7 feet at Shihlung.



"Imagine! Paying that doctor \$10 to have him tell me I don't walk right."

**STABBING DRAMA IN YAUMATI.****WOMAN AND FOKI IN HOSPITAL.****MURDER AND SUICIDE ATTEMPT ALLEGED.****MOTIVE MYSTERY.**

A mysterious stabbing affair is reported from the Yaumati District where the Police are engaged in seeking a motive for what was apparently an attempted murder followed by the attempted suicide of the alleged assailant.

At the moment only meagre details are available. The attack was made by a rattan worker upon his employer for no apparent reason, although Police investigations may later reveal the motive.

Lau On-nam, who is described in the police report as a rattan worker is stated to have made an attack on his employer, Yeung Sze-mui, aged 34, a married woman, and to have inflicted stab wounds to her back, necessitating her removal to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment. The man used a rattan worker's tool and, after wounding the woman, he attempted to commit suicide by stabbing himself.

**Stabbed in Back.**

The persons concerned in the affair, Lau On-nam and the woman Yeung Sze-mui, both reside at 15, Wai Ching Street, in the Yaumati District, and are engaged in the rattan trade, the woman being the proprietress of the establishment and the man, who is 32 years of age, one of her fokis.

Shortly after 8 o'clock this morning, Lau On-nam without any warning suddenly stabbed the woman in the back. He then turned the weapon on himself and inflicted a nasty wound to his throat.

Both were rushed to the Kowloon Hospital where they now lie in a serious condition.

**MUKDEN TO HELP NANKING.****PARTICIPATION IN WAR ON CANTON.**

Shanghai, June 1. An announcement that the Manchurian Government is to take an active part in the coming military operations between Nanking and Canton is conveyed by a Peking telegram from Japanese sources stating that a large consignment of arms and ammunition, including 20 guns, 10,000 rifles, and 200,000 rounds of ammunition was shipped from Chinwangtien to Nanking during the week-end.

The supply from Manchuria was made following a request by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.

The big military conference summoned by Gen. Chang Hsueh-liang with Manchurian and North-Western China commanders has had to be postponed on account of the indisposition of the Mukden leader. It is learned on good authority that the conference is closely connected with the disruption between Nanking and Canton.

Peking newspapers continue to give much prominence to news of the Canton situation.

**Official Assurance.**

Peking, June 2. Presiding at a big public meeting to celebrate the enforcement of the Provisional Constitution and the anniversary of the State burial of the remains of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen yesterday, General Yu Hsich-chung, Manchurian garrison commander of Peking and Tientsin, addressed over five hundred Manchurian officials, reiterating the decision of the Mukden Government to support the Provisional Constitution and to urge the Nanking Government to immediately declare war against Canton.

This marks the first official indication by Manchurian officials in pledging their support to Nanking in the dissension between Marshal Chiang and the Cantonese section of the Kuomintang Party.

The Nanking Government is electing new Presidents for the five Yuans following the resignation of the many Cantonese Kuomintang officials and in this connexion the authorities have decided to amalgamate the Ministry for Agriculture, Mining, Labour and Commerce with the Ministry for Industry under Mr. H. H. Kung, a relative of Marshal Chiang. The Civil Affairs Commissioner, Mr. Chu Chi, and the Military Governor, Gen. Chan Thio-yuan, of the Anhui Provincial Government, have again tendered their resignations.—*Renksha*.

**SELF-DEFENCE CLAIMED.****ACCUSED SOLDIERS GIVE EVIDENCE.****PEDDER ST. AFFAIR.**

A complete denial of the allegations made by Chinese detectives in the witness box yesterday, was forthcoming from Privates P. J. Brain and H. J. James, of the South Wales Borderers, when they gave evidence on their own behalf this morning before Mr. Williams, concerning the assault charge preferred against them.

In the opening proceedings yesterday, it was alleged that the two men accosted a Chinese girl, one manhandling her, upon which a Chinese detective interposed, but was struck by Brain, who made an unprovoked attack upon the officer.

It was further stated in evidence that the two accused ran away, and were arrested later.

This morning, Private Brain, giving evidence on oath, said he and James, together with another soldier named Booth, left barracks about 6.30 p.m. on the day in question, and after visiting Happy Valley and the Cheung Y.M.C.A., went up Pedder Street. He and James went into the Bluebird Cafe to purchase cigarettes, and on coming out saw the two Chinese girls. The girls spoke to them, and the Chinese detective intervened.

Witness got hold of one of the girls' arms and drew her across the pavement upon which the detective pushed witness up against a gate. The man showed willingness to fight, and Brain retaliated in self-defence. He admitted that he hit the detective, but did so in self-defence. He denied that he and James ran away. They were arrested only a few feet away from the scene.

**Champion Runner.**

Private James corroborated, saying that when he came out of the Bluebird Cafe, he saw Brain and the detective at grips, and he separated them. He did not strike a blow.

The detective seemed to want to fight and he and Brain closed in again. Witness denied, as being ridiculous, the Indian constable's story of his running away and being arrested after the constable had overtaken him. He (witness) was the champion quarter-mile and half-mile runner of the Colony, and could easily have escaped if he had been running away. He had served five and a half years with the Regiment, but had never been to India, neither did he know a word of Hindustani. He was therefore being credited with a gift which he did not possess, when it was said that he spoke Hindustani.

The case is proceeding.

**DISCOURTESY SHOWN AT BANQUET.****U.S. MAYOR LEAVES WHEN CHAMPAGNE APPEARS.**

Paris, May 26.

An awkward incident took place during the reception given to-day in honour of 21 American mayors visiting Paris in connexion with the colonial exhibition. When in the course of the official banquet the glasses were filled with champagne for the toast to the President of the Republic, the mayor of Los Angeles, Mr. John Clinton Porter, ostentatiously got up from the table and with his wife left the room, audibly protesting against "all these people who are violating the prohibition law." The leader of the American mayors' delegation rose at once and criticised the behaviour of his colleague in a speech in which he pointed out that President Herbert Hoover during the trip to South America always took pains to conform with the customs of the countries he was visiting.

**SURVEYOR'S MEASURE STOLEN.****TAKEN FROM MOTOR-CAR BY THIEF.**

Pleading guilty to a charge of having stolen a surveyor's 100 ft. leather case tape measure, the property of Mr. F. Hamilton, at Boundary Street, Kowloon Tong, on June 1, a man named Chan Wong was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Two other boys, Wong Yee and Leung Kun-fuk, were discharged owing to lack of evidence, after a Chinese detective had said that they also were in the same street.

Sub-Inspector Chester Wood said the measure was stolen from a motor car. There had been three thefts of the type within the past few months. The first defendant stole the measure, while the two boys kept watch. The first defendant had served a three month prison sentence recently for house breaking.

**PARLIAMENT'S HEAVY TASK.****"DOLE" ENQUIRY REPORT.****THE GUILLOTINE.**

London, June 1. The Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, who has spent the Whitbunfide vacation at Lonsdale-mouth, left to-day for Blackpool, where he will open new Air Park. He will be in London to-morrow for the re-assemble of Parliament. Mr. MacDonald had intended making the journey to Blackpool by air, but owing to unfavourable weather he left Lonsdale-mouth by road.

A heavy programme of business lies before the House of Commons when it resumes its sittings to-morrow.

The Finance Bill, embodying the proposals set out in the Budget-Speech and including the scheme for land taxation, will be the principal measure before the House and it is anticipated that the Government will find it necessary to place the guillotine closure on the Bill and to resort to late sittings to ensure that the session is brought to a finish by the end of July.

Among other important questions that will be before the Commons is that of Unemployment Insurance. It is anticipated that the interim report of the Royal Commission which has been investigating the whole problem, will be presented within the next few days. Although new legislation based on the Report will probably be delayed until the Autumn, it will probably prove necessary to introduce this session legislation to extend the insurance fund's borrowing powers, which will be exhausted by the middle of July. —*British Wireless*.

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Advising that defendant should comply with the regulations, his Worship imposed a fine of \$25.

**BRITISH AERIAL RACES.****HERMES ENGINES MAKE CLEAN SWEEP.****SATURDAY'S EVENTS.**

Hermes aeroplane engines made a clean sweep of the annual air race from London to Newcastle which was flown on Saturday, according to a cable received in Hongkong by the Far East Aviation Co. Ltd., from Cirrus Aero Engines.

The cable discloses the interesting fact that the first four machines to complete the course were powered with Hermes engines, and the third place was taken by Miss Winifred Brown, holder of the King's Cup, who flew an Avro-Avian Hermes Mark 11, this machine being similar to V. R. R. A. E. the property of the Hongkong Flying Club.

First place was secured by Mr. Kennard, flying a Klemm, Cirrus Mark 11. Mr. Percival (Hendy, Hermes Mark 11) was second, Miss Winifred Brown (Avro-Avian Hermes Mark 11) was third, and Mr. Gibbons (Sparton, Hermes Mark 11) came in fourth. The fastest time was put up by Mr. Percival who averaged 147 m.p.h., this being a remarkably fine performance and a great credit to Hermes products.

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**ALLOTMENTS OF SHARES.****EXTENSION OF TIME GRANTED.**

The Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) in the Supreme Court this morning, granted an extension of seven days to the Chung Wo Printing Press Limited, No. 42a, Hollywood Road, for the purpose of filing a return of allotments of shares with the Registrar of Companies.

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**BUFFALO CONTROL ON SHIPS.****CAPTAIN SAYS LAW IS ALL WRONG.****HALTERS USELESS.**

Mr. Horace Lo appeared at the Marine Court this morning, before Comdr. J. B. Newill, D.S.O., R.N., on behalf of Capt. Paul Maternati, master of the French steamer Tai Poo Sok, who was summoned for arriving in the Colony on June 1 with buffaloes which were not secured in accordance with the Livestock Import and Export Ordinance.

Mr. Lo said he had been instructed to plead guilty. He understood that the complaint against Capt. Maternati was that the cattle were secured through the nose instead of having halters round their necks, but, through his long experience, defendant had found that to secure cattle through the nose was safer than having halters round their necks.

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**A REMEDY FOR DEPRESSION.****ECONOMIST SPEAKS HIS MIND.**

London, May 27. Humanity ultimately will feel like the passengers of an Atlantic Liner whose captain has come down from the Bridge and declared that he has lost all control over the movements of his ship and that he is unable to take responsibility for her course."

This disconcerting prediction was made by a lecturer on Economics in a lecture before the Institute of Bankers in London in which he analysed the world economic crisis. No further time, he said, should be wasted in listening to false prophets who, by resisting every endeavour to gain control over the monetary system, have helped to create, intensify and prolong the disastrous economic catastrophe.

Professor Cassel's remedy is that the leading central banks should come together and end depression simply by declaring their intention to supply the world so abundantly with means of payment that no further fall in prices will be possible. As long as the central banks hesitate and, on the whole, take no responsibility for the purchasing power of their money, humanity will be like the Atlantic passengers mentioned above. Defect in the monetary policy of the United States was chiefly responsible for the present crisis, he said.

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**RESIDENT'S SUDDEN DEATH.****MR. L. L. LOPEZ PASSES AWAY.**

An old Portuguese resident of the Colony, in the person of Mr. L. L. Lopez, passed away suddenly last night whilst visiting a house in Peel Street, together with a friend, Mr. F. M. de Silva. He collapsed in the house and was immediately conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital but died before admission.

The deceased was very well-known and highly respected in Hongkong. He was formerly in the employ of the Chinese Maritime Customs, from which he recently retired. He was 65 years of age and leaves a widow and a daughter to mourn his death. Mr. A. C. Gomes, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, was son-in-law, his wife having died some months ago, and there are many other relatives of the deceased in Hongkong.

The funeral takes place this afternoon, passing the monument 5.30 p.m.

**RADIO BROADCAST****CONCERT PROGRAMME TO-NIGHT.**

The radio programme to be broadcast by 2. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres to-day is:

0.00-8.00 p.m. European Programme.

8.00-9.00 p.m. Uncle George's Party, B194.

Songs "More Very Young" Songs (A. A. Milne and Fraser-Simpson).

George Baker (Baritone), B3178-B3179.

6.00-6.31 p.m. Children's Programme.

Nursery Rhymes.

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6.21-7.00 p.m. Orchestral.

Medley of Chappell Ballads.

Jack Hylton and His Orch. C1856.

A Hunt in the Black Forest (Vogeler).

In a Clock Store (Orth).

New Light Symphony Orch. C1308.

Good Old Dances.

Jack Hylton and His Orch. C1784.

7.00 p.m. Stock Quotations.

7.03-7.17 p.m. Organ Solos.

Yellow Sands (Ewing).

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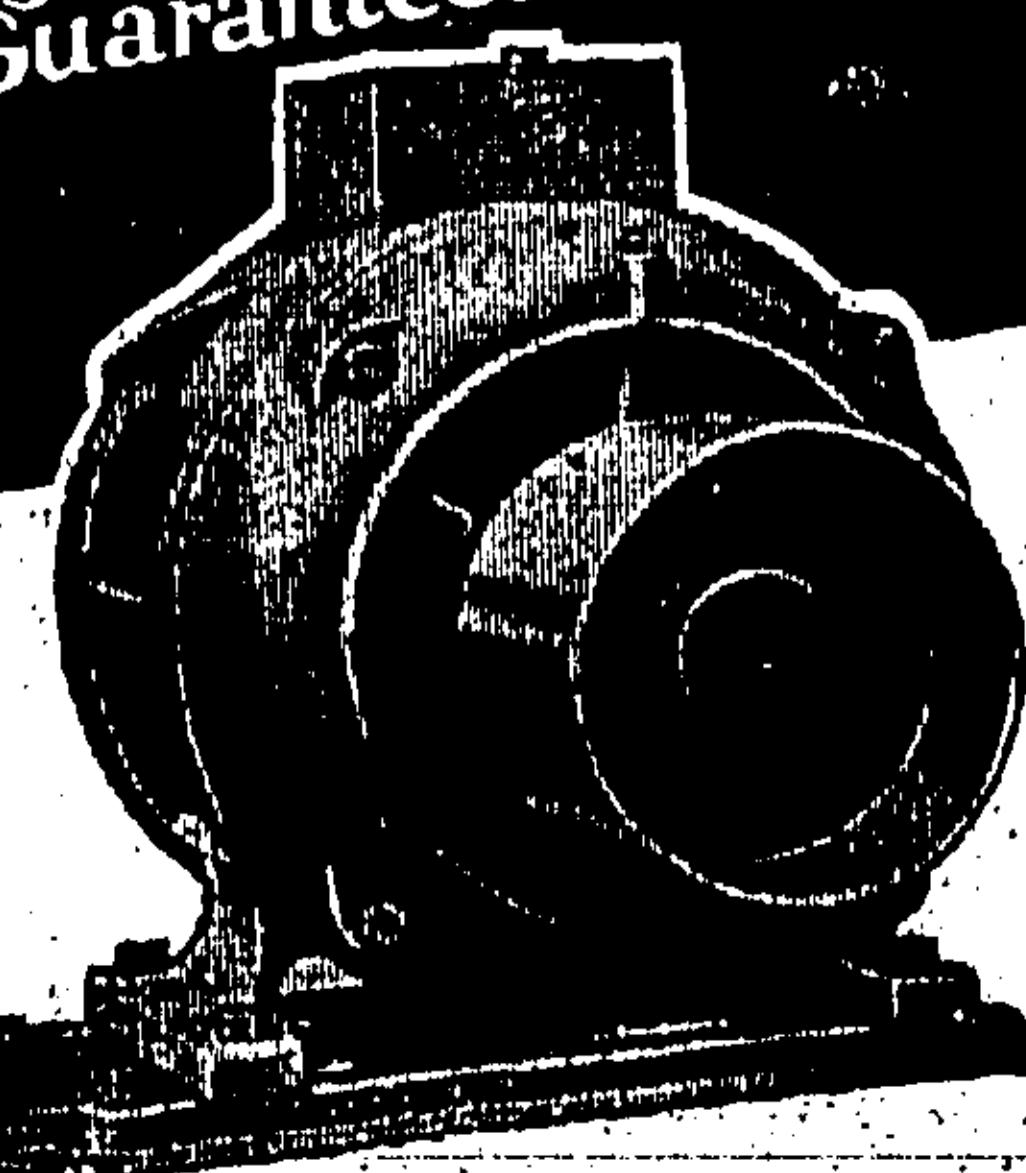
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### WATER-POLO LEAGUE

LOCAL SEASON OPENS WITH  
TWO MATCHES.

Although playing against only a six-men team, the Navy gave a sorry account of themselves in the opening game of the water-polo season against the V.R.C. last night. Their many weaknesses indicated lack of practice, and the very few opportunities they had at shooting were badly directed. The V.R.C. left the water winning nine to nill.

Within five minutes of the opening of the game L. Roza Pereira, the V.R.C. forward, was ordered out of the bath by the referee, and when the next goal was scored he declined to return to the water. Under the circumstances, Mr. Weyman had no option but to intimate that he would have to report the matter to the Association.

The wide margin in the scores indicated more the Navy's weakness than the strength of the V.R.C., for the latter were not impressive, although they were never forced to anywhere near their top, as it was obvious from the start that they had the advantage. There was no need for them to give of their best, and consequently the game as a spectacle was a poor one. It was just a succession of scramblings, wild dashes for the ball, and much fumbling, with occasional strong shots, and scores at luck, being the only bright spots. Scores stood out in defence, and his accurate and sure handling of the ball was the game's feature.

The goal-throwers were—C. Roza Pereira (3), Lawrence, Remedios (each 2), L. Roza Pereira and French (2). The teams were: V.R.C.—L. Roza Pereira, Lawrence, Remedios, Knight, Zimmerman, C. Roza Pereira, Scores. Navy—Abby, Wadham, North, Bonning, Singleton, Bell, Bennett.

#### Second Division.

The draw for the second division put the two teams from the V.R.C. against each other. Mr. Gorst had charge of the game, which was more in the nature of a friendly match. The "A" team was practically the same as the V.R.C. second division team of last season, and had no difficulty in shining against the junior seven, few of whom had had league experience. The game ended with the "A" team winning eight to two. The sides were:

"A" team—Silva Netto, Victor, Gossan, da Rocha, Maynard, Foraria, Berrioxa.

"B" team—King, Ed da Roza, Alves, McGrahan, E. da Roza, Sausa, Monteciro.

#### LAWN BOWLS.

#### K.B.G.C. TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

The following will represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their League matches on Saturday, both games commencing at 3.30 p.m.:

1st team, v. Club de Recreio (away).—J. Rodger, G. E. Sheriff, H. Mish, W. Russell (skip); R. S. Nichols, T. S. W. West, G. E. Roylance, D. F. Warren (skip); S. Eccleshall, G. J. Chambers, E. W. L. Higgin, L. Guy (skip). Reserve—R. Hall.

2nd team, v. Club de Recreio (home).—H. F. Stenham, J. S. Logan, W. E. Hale, A. W. E. Davison (skip); G. E. F. Thompson, E. D. Labrouse, H. H. Rose, W. S. Drake (skip); F. H. Whittle, J. G. Meyer, A. K. Taylor, F. L. Rapsey (skip). Reserve—B. Wyke.



How can one avoid shanking his mashie shots? Explain the cause of a shanked shot.

Failure to keep the hands close to the body is the reason for many a shanked shot. Bobby Jones keeps his hands so close that at times he brushes his trouser legs. Forcing a mashie to do the work of a three or four iron will cause one to be anxious to hit. This form of pressing can only result in shanking. The mashie shot should be made mainly with the wrists and the forearms.

Most golfers who have little or no freedom of the wrists make up for the lack of wrist action by swaying their body. Swinging with locked wrists causes one to throw the clubhead out beyond its intended path. The best advice would be to loosen up a bit, not only the wrists but all muscles of the body.

ART KREZN.

### TWO KIDNAPPING INCIDENTS.

#### CASE LIKELY TO GO TO SESSIONS.

#### THREE ARRESTS MADE

A serious view is being taken by the authorities of two kidnapping incidents which occurred in Hongkong in March and April and, with the arrest of three men alleged to have been concerned in the affairs, the police are asking for trial, should a *prima facie* case be made out, at the Criminal Sessions.

Two men previously brought before Mr. Schofield in connexion with the affair were remanded until Thursday next and a third man subsequently arrested was this morning charged before Mr. Williams at the Central Police Court.

Detective Sergeant Lamont informed his Worship that the two boys whom the men were alleged to have kidnapped were still in the country, but were expected to arrive in Hongkong during the next couple of days. The police wished a short remand until they arrived.

The case would be heard as a committal one, the defendants to take their trial at the Criminal Sessions should the evidence justify it.

The two boys who were kidnapped were stated to be Sam Kai, aged 6, of 110, Queen's Road East, and Lok Chi-kwong, 8 years of age, of 166, Queen's Road East.

The defendant who appeared before Mr. Williams was Kwong Cheung, a gardener living at 31, Lee Gardens Street, and, after being formally remanded by the second magistrate he was taken before Mr. Schofield and charged with having returned from banishment after being deported for ten years in October, 1921.

After the facts of the case had been explained to his Worship, the defendant, who had previously returned on four separate occasions, was remanded until Thursday when the other two men concerned will appear before his Worship.

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#### FILIPINO CLUB.

#### THE REPORT & STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

The Filipino Club will hold its annual general meeting on Sunday, June 7, at 3.30 p.m.

The report and statement of accounts for the year ending April 30, 1931 states, in part:

Tennis.—The club singles championship was won by Mr. W. J. Howard, with Mr. D. Leonard as runner-up. The singles handicap was won by Mr. L. R. Ildefonso with Mrs. D. Bautista as runner-up. The doubles handicap was won by Misses L. R. Ildefonso and D. Bautista, with Messrs. P. H. Brown and V. U. Zafra as runner-up. Mrs. F. Gonzalez won the ladies handicap, with Miss M. Braga as runner-up. The club entered a team in the 1930 tennis league.

Pingpong.—The club championship was won by Mr. H. A. Ribeiro with Dr. V. N. Atienza as runner-up, while the handicap was won by Mr. C. A. Cunha with Mr. A. E. H. Castro as runner-up.

Baseball.—The club joined the baseball league for 1930.

The accounts for the last twelve months show a profit of \$1,214.25.

Club house repairs and additions have been carried out during the year.

The total number of members as at April 30, 1931, was 98, showing an increase of 15 over last year.

The club held during the year its first children's day which proved to be a very successful affair. It is intended to hold a children's day annually for the entertainment of members and their friends.

#### FANLING GOLF.

#### STARTING TIMES FOR TO-MORROW.

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#### POLICE AT SPORT.

Sikh members of the Hongkong Police Force met a team of basketball players from the Ace Basketball Club at the Police Compound yesterday and won 14 points to five. The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Inspector General of Police, and other officials were interested spectators of the match.

A dark cloud hung over the H.M.S. Berwick and Stormcloud crews on the visit to Japan when Able Seaman Morgan died from injuries sustained in a football match between the two cruisers. It appears that Morgan was unavoidably sandwiched between two players in the game and had to be carried off the field. He regained consciousness later and for a time appeared to be all right. Later it was disclosed that he had to undergo an operation from which he succumbed. Morgan was prominent in many football in Hongkong. He played right wing for the Navy "B" team which won the Hongkong Junior Shield last season.

### CINEMA NOTES.

#### SPECIAL SONG FOR GRACE MOORE.

Carrie Jacobs Bond, America's best-loved modern composer, whose "End of a Perfect Day" is a classic in all parts of the world, has made her debut as a composer for talking pictures. Grace Moore, Metropolitan opera and screen star, sings Mrs. Bond's first contribution to motion pictures, "Lovely Hour," in her first Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring picture, "A Lady's Molars," a romance based on the life of Jenny Lind, which will come on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre.

The new song is a smooth flowing ballad somewhat of the type of "The End of a Perfect Day," and Miss Moore predicts that it will probably become as popular.

Mrs. Bond is one of several famous composers represented in the film Oscar Straus, composer of "The Chocolate Soldier," composed "It Is Destiny" and "Barcarolle" for the singer, and Herbert Stothart of "The Rogue Song" fame contributed "Oh Why." Miss Moore also sings arias from "Norma" and "Daughter of the Regiment." A Swedish pastoral, an Italian song and students' chorus complete the lavish musical score.

Sidney Franklin directed the new picture with a notable cast. Reginald Denny plays the composer-lover, Brandt, and Wallace Beery appears as P. T. Barnum in the New York episode. Jobyna Ralston, Gus Sieber, Emery, George Marion, Paul Porcasi, Giovanni Martino, Rudolf Rosling, Joan Standing, Mavis Villiers, Judi Vosselli and other noted screen personalities are seen in the spectacular new romance.

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## Mad Marriage.

By LAURA LOU BROOKMAN.

## CHAPTER XXXIII.

Gypsy's face showed her surprise. "Marcia Phillips?" she repeated. "You mean she's here?"

Jim nodded. "She's at Aunt Ellen's. Came today. Aunt Ellen telephoned just before I started home. She said Marcia's in bad shape and needs a rest."

There was a moment's pause. "Of course," Gypsy began, "after such a shock—"

"Yes, I guess she's worn out. Phillips' family wanted her to come east, Aunt Ellen said, but Marcia thought Forest City would be quieter and more restful. There really wasn't any place else for her to go. Her mother's in Italy—rented their Long Island place before she left—and Marcia wouldn't hear to having her come back now. Aunt Ellen and Marcia's mother used to be friends when they were girls."

Perhaps he thought he had seemed too interested in his subject. Jim's voice stopped abruptly. "It must be very hard for her," Gypsy said mechanically. Those were the only words she could think of.

Jim mumbled something about cleaning up for dinner and turned to go. Half an hour later when he came downstairs Gypsy had finished her letter and was pressing down the flap of the envelop. She looked up.

"I heard from Nina this morning," she said. "She likes her new job and already they've promised her a raise. Want to read what she says?"

"What's she doing?"

"Secretarial work in an insurance office. She says there are lots of new words and terms she's not familiar with but the people are pleasant. It's a big office. I'm so glad everything is working out so well for her."

Throughout the evening there was an air of constraint between them. Jim apparently fought against it. Gypsy had little to say. Once she asked, "Do you think Mrs. Phillips will be here long?"

Jim looked at her, uncomprehending. Then he flushed. "Oh—

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and call on Marcia Phillips?"

Surprise was followed by consternation. "But I couldn't do that! I don't know her."

"Well, she's been here three days. It doesn't seem right to stay away any longer. Only decent to offer sympathy. We'll go together."

"Where is she?"

"Still at Aunt Ellen's. Right here in the same block with us."

Gypsy came forward. The three little lines that appeared in her forehead whenever she was over-anxious were there now. "Please, Jim," she said appealingly. "I'd rather not go. I—well, I just can't bring myself to enter your aunt's house. If it was some place else it would be different."

"But that's nonsense. You'll have to get over it sometime. Aunt Ellen came here, you know. You ought to be willing to go half way if she is."

"It isn't going half way. She came to deliver a message to you. Anyhow I don't want to go there."

"Just the same I want you to."

"Why, I've known Marcia ever since we were kids in high school. Now that she's lost her husband I'd be a fine one, wouldn't I, never even to go near? We won't need to stay long. We can be back in 30 minutes."

Gypsy shook her head. "I can't go to your aunt's house," she said. Jim had taken out a cigarette. He threw it down unlit.

"That's nothing but an excuse," he said angrily. "You know it. You're only saying that because you don't want to go!"

The girl shook her head. "No, thanks," she said. "You go if you want to. I think I'd rather stay in."

"Now, Gypsy, I tell you I want you to do this! When did you get so thin-skinned about Aunt Ellen? She isn't going to hurt you. It's Marcia we're going to see, anyhow. I've got to make this call and you're going to make it with me."

"Oh no, I'm not!" The McBride temper was asserting itself. Gypsy's dark eyes flashed.

"But I say you are!"

"I'm not! I tell you I'm not!" One little brown oxford stamped the floor. Suddenly tears blinded the girl. Whirling, she ran from the room and up the stairway. A moment later, safe in her own room, the door slammed behind her sharply.

It was unusual for Gypsy to weep. Now that the torrent was

unleashed it continued for several minutes.

No sound came from down stairs. She sat up, looking down at the rose satin cushion beneath her elbow. Shame and humiliation coloured her cheeks. The visit to Marcia was unimportant. What hurt acutely was the memory of the quarrel. How could she ever have said such things to Jim? How could she have lost her temper so completely?

The angry words and defiant tones still rang in her ears. Gypsy was miserable. Of course she had been right. She should have gone with him. It had been cruel of her to fling Aunt Ellen's actions in his face after the loyal way he had defended her.

Besides—her objections had been a pretence. The truth was that she did not want to call on Marcia Phillips.

Presently it occurred to Gypsy that she could right the situation.

She ran to bathe her eyes with cold water. A quick dip with the powder puff, a touch of lipstick and she hurried down stairs.

"Jim—" He was not in the living room. She glanced into the library. No one there. A quick search showed the house was deserted except for Matilda and Corn in the kitchen.

Gypsy returned to the living room. She remembered that Jim's hat had been on the table near the door. Now the hat was gone.

It was nearly 6 when Jim returned. Gypsy was waiting for him. Before they went into dinner she tried to apologize for the earlier scene. Jim interrupted.

"Forget about it," he said quickly.

"I was to blame. Please don't think about it any more."

"But I'll go with you, Jim. I should have when you asked me first. I—I want to go."

Wallace shook his head. "Best to forget the whole thing," he said.

"No importance anyhow. By the way, I ordered some shirts that should be sent out to-morrow. They're from Kont's."

The conversation, once turned, did not return to the disagreement. Gypsy felt certain Jim had called at his aunt's home but he did not mention the fact and she could not ask.

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Refugees declare that Indians in Rangoon are rushing for boats aboard ships bound for India, and many Indian merchants are reported to be sending their women-folk home.—Reuters.

**FURTHER ECONOMY.****SALARY CUT FOR JAPANESE PRIMARY TEACHERS.**

Tokyo, June 1. The Government have decided to extend the salary cut to the teachers in the primary schools who are drawing over 100 yen a month. This cut will become operative on July 1 next, and will affect over 15,000 out of nearly 300,000 teachers.—Reuters.

A message dated May 22 stated that the Cabinet had decided to cut official salaries, a sliding scale being brought into operation on June 1. The maximum reduction would be 20 per cent. The Premier estimated that the reductions would result in a saving of seven million yen in the present fiscal year.]

**U.S. SILVER MISSION.****SENATORS ARRIVE AT SHANGHAI.**

Shanghai, June 1. Senators Tasker Oddie and Joseph Robinson, and Congressmen Gibson and Dowell arrived this afternoon from Manila on the U. S. transport Henderson.

Mr. Tasker Oddie proposes to study the silver question. Senator Pittman is arriving to-morrow from Seattle on the President Jefferson for the same purpose.—Reuters.

1 Senator Oddie and his party passed through Hongkong last week.]

**HOSPITAL ABLAZE.****FIRE IN JAPAN IMPERIAL LIVES OF PATIENTS.**

Tokyo, June 1. The lives of 500 patients were gravely imperilled when a fire broke out in the early hours of this morning at the Kamazawa Hospital. Part of the building was destroyed before the flames could be got under control.

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## FARTHING DAMAGES AWARDED.

DOCTOR'S RIGHT TO MAKE ALTERATIONS OPPOSED.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, June 1. Judge Grain to-day awarded Mrs. Mildred S. Wood the sum of one farthing damages against Dr. A. C. Bryson. The Court costs will be paid by the respective parties.

The action was one in which Mrs. Wood sought the ejectment of Dr. Bryson and the sum of \$1,000 damages for several alleged breaches of a covenant in respect of 64 and 64-A Route Ghial. The houses were planned by Mrs. Wood with the assistance of an American architect in New York and built in 1923. It was alleged that under the tenancy of Dr. Bryson the premises greatly deteriorated and that doors had been constructed and gates erected contrary to the covenant. Moreover the bathroom had been converted to other uses and thus was held to be another alteration.

The defendant's answer was a complete denial and a negation that the terms of the agreement were properly stated.

Defendant further denied committing any of the alleged breaches of the covenant and stated, in the alternative, if it be held that he had committed any of the alleged breaches, that about the first week in April, 1930, it was verbally agreed between him and Mrs. Wood that as it was her intention to pull down the house at the termination of the tenancy, he was at liberty to effect any improvements or alterations which would contribute to his comfort, provided he took a lease for three years.

After asserting that the agreement was for three years, the answer said the alleged breaches were alterations or improvements which had contributed to his comfort.

Among other things, the answer went on to state that about August 19 last, it was verbally agreed between the parties that if defendant spent any money towards improving the premises, he would be at liberty to make any alterations which would contribute to his comfort.

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DIVORCE ACTION.

SHANGHAI DECISION ON PLEA OF DESERTION.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, June 1. Judge Purdy has granted Mrs. Dell Rex Bush, employed by the Texas Company, a divorce on the grounds of desertion by Irving Beaufort Bush, a resident of Tientsin.

The honeymoon was spent in Baguio, and Mr. and Mrs. Walker are now residing at 410 Aviles, Manila. The bridegroom is very well known locally, while his bride enjoys a large circle of friends in Shanghai.

## NO TRANS-PACIFIC FLIGHT YET.

CAPTAIN ASH ABANDONS THE ATTEMPT.

Tokyo, June 1.

Captain Thomas Ash, who has been preparing for a trans-Pacific flight in Harold Bromley's "City of Tacoma" to-day decided to abandon the flight.

The plane refused to take off with its heavy load of fuel, and lightening her would reduce the fuel to a dangerous minimum. Also the engine was sluggish, not developing sufficient power.

Capt. Ash in a statement says the abandonment is a postponement of his life's ambition. He is convinced that a non-stop trans-Pacific flight is practicable with a suitable machine, but exhaustive calculations have convinced him that it is impossible with the present plane. He concludes that he hopes to be able to attempt the flight later, in a more suitable machine.

-Reuter.

## WEDDING OF NOTE.

FORMER LOCAL RESIDENT MARRIED IN MANILA.

A wedding of local interest took place in Manila recently, when Mr. James Walker, formerly of the Hongkong office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, was married to Miss Margaret Jenkin-Bell, daughter of Mrs. Jenkin-Bell, and the late John Jenkin-Bell of Rockhampton, Australia.

The marriage was solemnised in the Cathedral of St. Mary and St. John, and was one of the most beautiful of the season. The bride and her matron of honour, Mrs. Monty Ellerton, wore imported French frocks of the latest style notes, and in attendance were also Messrs. Monty Ellerton, A.F. Judd, E.C. Richards, W. Beveridge, O. Skinner, H.C.B. Watson, G.A. Main, and H. F. Gourlie, who acted as ushers.

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arrival it was found that the first floor of No. 24, Matheson Street was well alight. The flames threatened to spread, but the firemen soon extinguished the outbreak and were back in the station again within half an hour.

The contents of the first floor of No. 24 and the adjoining house were severely damaged by fire but the buildings were not greatly affected. The houses are of four storeys, and each covers an area of about 50 feet by 45. The ground floor of one of them is used by a tailor, the upper floors of the other house, a general dealers' shop, being used as tenement houses.

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## WHALE FEEDING.

London, June 1. After a successful maiden voyage in the South Atlantic and the Antarctic lasting for nearly 18 months, the R.R.S. Discovery II has returned to England.

The vessel, which was built expressly for research in Southern waters, and is especially strengthened for ice navigation, can steam for a distance of over 9,000 miles without refuelling.

The object of her investigations is to secure permanence for the whaling industry in the South. Observations have been made on the temperature, salinity and density of sea water, its content of phosphate and nitrate, and other factors controlling the growth and abundance of microscopic plants on which all animal life, even of whales, ultimately depends.

Study has also been made of the drifting life of the ocean, including the small prawn, which in the South forms the exclusive food of blue and fin whales.

Observations made by the Discovery, which has worked in conjunction with the R.R.S. William Scoresby, have been taken throughout two Antarctic summers and over the whole of the South Georgia whaling ground, an area of over 2,600 square miles. Combining her work with that of the committed other vessels, the Discovery I and the William Scoresby, the grounds about South Georgia have been surveyed in five consecutive seasons.

### Industry Setback.

It has been feared for some time that southern whaling operations would greatly reduce the

## THE "I'M ALONE" INCIDENT.

U. S. REFUSES CANADIAN CLAIM.

## DAMAGES DENIED.

Washington, May 27. The Government of the United States, the United Press was informed to-day, will soon send to the Government of the Dominion of Canada a note denying Canada's claim for damages arising from the sinking by a United States Coast Guard cutter of the rum runner I'm Alone.

The United States will refuse to honour Canada's claim for damages on the grounds that despite her Canadian registry the I'm Alone was the property of an American bootlegging syndicate.

Since March, 1929, when the I'm Alone was pursued and sunk in the Gulf of Mexico the incident has developed into a matter of considerable international importance. The United States claims that the vessel was within boarding distance of the shore as specified in British-American treaties. Canada contends that the rum runner was outside treaty waters and that the United States pursued her illegally when she was beyond one hour's steaming distance from the American shore.

When the United States cutter fired on the I'm Alone one member of the rum runner's crew was drowned. Her captain was carried to New Orleans in iron-bound after his vessel had been sunk.

stock of whales and that the industry would die out.

A temporary setback to the industry has occurred within the last few months, owing principally to over-production, and there will be a very drastic reduction in whaling next season. It is stated that if this interval is wisely used for the development of well-based regulations, it should lead to a

renewal of the industry on a scale

which will ensure its permanence.

—British Wireless.

## SOUTH AFRICA CELEBRATES COMING OF AGE

### MESSAGES OF CONGRATULATION.

London, June 1.

The Union of South Africa is to-day celebrating the twenty-first anniversary of its establishment as a self-governing Dominion within the British Empire.

Messages of congratulation have been despatched by His Majesty the King, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, former Governor-General of the Union, and many others.

The King, in his message to Lord Clarendon, stated: "To-day we commemorate the 21st anniversary of the establishment of the Union. By that act of wisdom and goodwill, a new and happier era was opened in the history of South Africa. Twenty-one eventful years have already vindicated the faith and foresight of those who laid the foundation of a great nation. I earnestly pray that under Divine Providence, the people of the Union may continue to enjoy the blessings of peace and prosperity."

The Prime Minister, in a telegram to General Hertzog, on behalf of the Government and people of Britain, said:

"The establishment of the Union of South Africa is an abiding example of what can be accomplished by breadth of vision, by a spirit of goodwill and by wise statesmanship. We send to the Union our best birthday greetings for her continued progress and prosperity."

In reply, General Hertzog cabled stating that "your message is very warmly appreciated, the more so because it will be during the currency of its 21st year that the seal will be set on the development of the Union to full nationhood, a happy event to which the wise statesmanship of Great Britain has so largely contributed." —British Wireless and Reuter.



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